Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Wednesday 15 Dec 2021 until 23:59 on Thursday 16 Dec 2021

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 15 Dec 2021 at 02:45

Confidence: High for mainly dry and settled conditions. Medium for cloud amounts, becoming Low from Friday.

Headline for Wednesday 15 Dec 2021: Cloudy or bright. Windy. Summit cloud.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 15 Dec 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Medium Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Fog	Fog	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Mist
Precipitation probability					
20%	20%	20%	20%	20%	20%

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Weather: A mainly dry and cloudy day, with occasional brighter spells. However, the cloud is expected to lower onto the summits at times.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 40%

Visibility: Mainly good or very good lower down, but moderate or poor at times at height, occasionally very poor over the summits. Occasional or extensive cloud, with bases lowering to between 600 to 900m.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	27/33 SW	26/32 SW	26/33 SW	23/29 SW	20/26 SW	20/25 SW	19/25 SW
600	20/25 SW	21/27 SW	19/26 SW	17/23 SW	15/21 SW	14/20 SW	14/19 SW
300	12/23 SW	13/24 SW	12/22 SW	10/20 SW	8/17 SW	7/16 SW	8/16 SW
Valley	12/23 SW	14/24 SW	13/23 SW	11/20 SW	9/18 SW	8/17 SW	9/17 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	4/-2	4/-2	4/-2	4/-2	4/-1	4/-1	4/-1
600	6/1	6/1	6/2	6/2	6/2	6/2	6/2
300	8/5	8/4	9/6	8/6	8/6	8/6	8/6
Valley	9/6	9/6	10/7	10/7	9/7	9/7	9/7
Freezing Level*	1500m	1500m	1600m	1500m	1500m	1600m	1800m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Nothing further to add.

Forecast for Thursday 16 Dec 2021

Weather: Mainly dry and rather cloudy and overcast, perhaps the higher summits becoming sunny or clear due to a well marked temperature inversion.

Maximum wind: Southwest 10 to 15mph

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 60%

Visibility: Moderate or poor at times, but good or very good above any temperature inversion. Extensive cloud, base 600m or less, but clear above any temperature inversion

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 5 to 10 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 3 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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